



TENnder CARE

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TENNESSEE'S EPSDT PROGRAM

What is the difference between **TENnderCARE** and *TennCare for Children*?

TENnderCare and *TennCare for Children* are two distinct statewide programs that work toward the same goal of helping children in Tennessee access needed health care services.

TennCare for Children assists families in applying for TennCare and **TENnderCare** provides health care services to those children who are already enrolled.

4 WAYS
to get **TennCare**
for Children & Teens!




Learn more inside!

... a message from
the *TennCare for Children* Project and the
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation 2/06

TennCare for Children (TFC)

TennCare for Children is an independent, non-profit program serving Tennessee children and families. The mission of TFC is to find, enroll, and retain eligible uninsured and underinsured children in TennCare. TFC works closely with schools, clinics, and other partnering agencies to educate families about TennCare eligibility and to overcome barriers to enrollment. For more information about *TennCare for Children* OR for enrollment assistance, please call 1(800) 280-8682. For help with other TennCare issues, please call TennCare Advocacy at 1(800) 722-7474.



The Early and Periodic
Screening, Diagnosis
and Treatment (EPSDT)
Program designed
for the care of your
child from birth to
young adulthood.

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TENnderCare is Tennessee's EPSDT program for the State of Tennessee. EPSDT stands for Early, Periodic, Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment and is a mandated program from the federal government to provide health care services to children from birth to age 20. **TENnderCare** is a full program of check ups and health care services for children already on TennCare. These services make sure babies, children, teens, and young adults receive the health care they need and deserve. For more information on **TENnderCare**, please contact the Family Assistance Service Center at 1-866-311-4287.